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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action dated October 4, 2002, having a three month period for reply, i.e., up to and including January 6, 2003, as January 4 was a Saturday.

AMENDMENT

Please amend the application without prejudice, without admission, without surrender of subject matter and without intention of creating any estoppel as to equivalents, as follows.

Attached is a marked up version of the changes made by this amendment, captioned "Version With Markings to Show Changes Made."

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